

II. Claim Amendments and New Claims 46 and 47

A. Upon entry of this response claims 1-4, 10, 12, 36-39 and 43-46 will be pending in this application.

B. Amendments to claims 1, 36 and 45 are supported by the original specification as explained below:

1. the amendment regarding utilizing botulinum toxin “in powder form” in independent claims 1, 36 and 45 is supported by at least page 29, lines 9-22 of the specification and the discussion regarding advantages of using powder injectors as opposed to liquid injectors, found on page 24, lines 14-30 of the specification.

C. New claims 45 and 46 are supported by the original specification as explained below:

1. support for botulinum toxin “in powder form” is supported by at least page 29, lines 9-22, and the discussion regarding advantages of using powder injectors as opposed to liquid injectors, found on page 24, lines 14-30;

2. support for “needleless syringe connected to or connectable to means for producing a supersonic gas flow” in new claim 46 is found at least at page 23, lines 28-30;

3. support for “a burst of helium” in new claim 46 can be found at least at page 23, lines 30-31.